## **REMARKS**

Applicants have corrected status identifiers for claims 13, 21, and 24 to indicate that the claims are currently amended, otherwise the claims are identical to those in the Amendment filed November 20, 2006. Dependent claims 13 and 21 have been amended according to changes in their base claims, where the base claims have been rewritten in independent form. Claim 24 was amended to overcome an objection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, as noted in the previous Amendment.

Applicants respectfully refer the Examiner to the remarks contained in the Amendment filed November 20, 2006 that pertain to the present rejections. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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